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APPLICANT: WOLF-GERNOT DROST ET AL-2 (PCT)

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TITLE: METHOD FOR PRODUCING UV POLARIZERS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Ass't. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to Examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim ~~2~~, line ~~3~~, delete "in accordance with claim no. 1";

line ~~5~~, delete "in claim no. 1";

lines ~~7~~ and ~~8~~, delete "each as described in claim no. 1";

Claim ~~3~~, line ~~3~~, delete "each as described in claim no. 1";

lines ~~5~~ and ~~6~~, delete "as described in claim no. 1";